

Bannau Brycheiniog (Brecon Beacons) National Park

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Tuesday 23 Apr 2024 until 23:59 on Wednesday 24 Apr 2024  
Forecast Issued on Tuesday 23 Apr 2024 at 02:32

**Confidence:** High for a mostly dry and sunny day on Tuesday after a cloudy start. Low for shower detail later in the week and how the changeable spell develops into the weekend.

**Headline for Tuesday 23 Apr 2024:** Cloudy start with conditions improving through the morning.

Mountain weather hazards on Tuesday 23 Apr 2024

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| <b>Blizzards</b><br>No Likelihood     | <b>Heavy persistent snow</b><br>No Likelihood | <b>Storm force winds</b><br>No Likelihood   |
| <b>Gales</b><br>No Likelihood         | <b>Severe chill effect</b><br>No Likelihood   | <b>Poor visibility</b><br>Medium Likelihood |
| <b>Thunderstorms</b><br>No Likelihood | <b>Heavy persistent rain</b><br>No Likelihood | <b>Strong sunlight</b><br>Medium Likelihood |

| Weather and chance of precipitation at 600m                                         |                                                                                     |                                                                                     |                                                                                     |                                                                                       |                                                                                       |
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| Time                                                                                |                                                                                     |                                                                                     |                                                                                     |                                                                                       |                                                                                       |
| 06:00                                                                               | 09:00                                                                               | 12:00                                                                               | 15:00                                                                               | 18:00                                                                                 | 21:00                                                                                 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fog                                                                                 | Drizzle                                                                             | Sunny intervals                                                                     | Sunny intervals                                                                     | Sunny intervals                                                                       | Clear night                                                                           |
| Precipitation probability                                                           |                                                                                     |                                                                                     |                                                                                     |                                                                                       |                                                                                       |
| 10%                                                                                 | 30%                                                                                 | 20%                                                                                 | 10%                                                                                 | <05%                                                                                  | <05%                                                                                  |

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**Weather:** Low cloud to start, perhaps bringing some hill fog and the odd spot of rain and drizzle. Conditions generally improving through the morning, leaving a dry afternoon with light winds. Any cloud generally with high bases with sunshine breaking through at times leaving a pleasant afternoon. Feeling cool, particularly across high peaks and as the sun sets.

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops above 600m:** 20% during the morning, rising to 90% by midday.

**Low cloud and visibility:** Low cloud with bases around 400-500m to start with hill fog possible across lower upslope regions too. Poor visibility within low cloud and drizzly outbreaks. This clearing quickly through the morning leaving little to no low cloud and excellent visibility for scenic outlooks.

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| Height (m) | Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) |          |         |         | Wind Direction (blowing from) |         |        |
|------------|-----------------------------|----------|---------|---------|-------------------------------|---------|--------|
|            | 06:00                       | 09:00    | 12:00   | 15:00   | 18:00                         | 21:00   | 00:00  |
| 600        | 9/11 NW                     | 10/14 NE | 11/16 N | 13/19 N | 11/16 NE                      | 8/13 NE | 7/10 N |
| 300        | 4/8 NW                      | 6/10 NE  | 8/14 N  | 9/16 NE | 7/13 NE                       | 4/12 N  | 2/4 E  |
| Valley     | 3/8 W                       | 6/11 NE  | 7/15 N  | 8/16 N  | 5/12 N                        | 5/13 N  | 2/4 NW |

| Height (m)      | Temperature / Feels Like (°C) |       |       |       |       |       |       |
|-----------------|-------------------------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
|                 | 06:00                         | 09:00 | 12:00 | 15:00 | 18:00 | 21:00 | 00:00 |
| 600             | 5/2                           | 5/2   | 6/3   | 8/4   | 7/4   | 4/1   | 3/0   |
| 300             | 7/6                           | 7/6   | 10/8  | 11/9  | 10/8  | 5/4   | 3/2   |
| Valley          | 8/7                           | 8/6   | 11/9  | 12/10 | 11/10 | 6/5   | 4/3   |
| Freezing Level* | 1400m                         | 1400m | 1200m | 1200m | 1200m | 1100m | 1000m |

\*Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.

**Meteorologist's View**  
Dull first thing with poor visibilities and patchy rain. Adequate layers required with conditions improving but remaining chilly. Moderate UV levels with sunscreen advised.

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|----------------------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|----------------|
| Recent rainfall: measured at Neuadd: altitude 353m |                |                |                |
| Recorded at                                        | Last 24 hours: | Last 48 hours: | Last 72 hours: |
| 02:00 on Tue 23 Apr 2024                           | 0.6mm          | 0.6mm          | 0.6mm          |

**Forecast for Wednesday 24 Apr 2024**  
**Weather:** A chilly and frost start then a mix of cloud, with bases above hill tops, and sunny spells developing through the afternoon with a chance of the odd light shower, mainly to the east of the park. Feeling chilly still.

**Maximum wind:** North to northwesterly, 10-15 mph gusting 20-25 mph

**Chance of cloud-free hill tops 600m:** 90%

**Low cloud and visibility:** Mist and fog in the valleys first thing, otherwise cloud above summits. Very good visibility, perhaps moderate in any shower.

**Temperature:** **Valleys:** Plus 5 Celsius rising to Plus 12 Celsius.  
**At 600m:** Plus 2 Celsius rising to Plus 7 Celsius.  
**Freezing level:** Above summits.